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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

OF: Michael LAU et al.

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EX.: Ricardo J. Palabrica

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FOR: Baggage Compartment With a Lowerable Baggage Bin,

Especially for an Aircraft

Passenger Cabin

MS AMENDMENT
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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 2, 2004, INCLUDING AN ATTACHED COVER SHEET WITH CERTIFICATE OF TELEFAX TRANSMISSION

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows.

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